Albert Stewart

Melba Stewart Payne Stevens

After enduring many years of suffering and the limitations of an imperfect body, Melba Stewart Payne Stevens, age 78, passed away June 22, 1995.

She was born December 2, 1916 to Albert and Margaret Stewart in Midway, Utah. She married Gillard Warren Payne August 22, 1939 in Salt Lake City, Utah. Together only eight years, he passed away suddenly May 28, 1947. Their marriage was solemnized in the Salt Lake LDS Temple.

Married Harold A. Stevens, a kind, gentle man, June 2, 1954. He died June 16, 1975.

She will be remembered as a beautiful woman, delicate as a rose but strong in her convictions and love for her family. She was an active member of the LDS Church. Worked for the Paris Company for 20 years.

She is survived by her daughter, Carolyn Payne Hansen (David D.); granddaughter, Heidi; grandsons, Michael and Matthew; great-granddaughter, Jessica; sisters, Rhea Murdock (Jim) and Connie Boyle (Wayne). Preceded in death by her parents; husbands; sister, Madelyn Henrikson, and brother Max. B. Stewart.

Funeral services will be held Monday, June 26, 1995, at the Grant 4th Ward chapel, 1111 East Charlton Ave, SLC, at 12 noon. Friends may call at the Olpin Mortuary in Heber City, Sunday, June 25, 1995 from 6-8 p.m. and prior to services from 10:30 to 11:45 a.m. Interment will take place at the Heber City Cemetery.

The family extends their thanks and gratitude to those who showed support and help through the years.

Funeral directors, Olpin Mortuary, Heber City.

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